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AMENDMENT

Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated July, 5, 2001, kindly amend the above-identified application as follows.

IN THE CLAIMS:

Kindly replace claims 13 and 14, and add new claims 48-64, as follows.

13. (Amended) The device according to claim 1 further including a strap on the face of the film opposite the microcircuit to pull back at least one end of the interface in the vicinity of the microcircuit.